

Calendar of Upcoming Events of Interest to AT&L Workforce

The following is a list of events, seminars, conferences and workshops that may be of interest to the acquisition, technology and logistics professional.

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Archived Events

2002:

October:

- Oct. 7-11: **Worldwide Contracting Training Conference**, Norfolk, VA. Presented by the US Air Force. Theme: "Turning Dollars and Desires into Dominant Aerospace Power." For more info, go to <http://www.safaq.hq.af.mil/contracting/conferences/worldwide2002/index.html>
- Oct. 14-18: **World Standards Week**, Washington, DC. Presented by American National Standards Institute (ANSI) and Defense Standardization Program (DSP). The U.S. standardization and conformity assessment community will celebrate World Standards Week 2002 with an exciting and varied mix of meetings, events and ceremonies. For more information go to http://www.ansi.org/rooms/room_5/default.htm
- Oct. 15: **Bringing Commercial Best Practices to Government: Strategic Sourcing**, Falls Church, VA. A distinguished group of government and industry leaders will take you through the entire approach of tackling the challenges in government sourcing and update you on commercial best practices. Sponsored by Federation of Government Information Processing Councils (FGIPC). For more information go to http://www.fgipc.org/events/strategic_sourcing_seminars.htm
- Oct. 20: **Army Acquisition Corps Ball**, Alexandria, VA. For more info, go to <http://dacm.rdaisa.army.mil/>.
- Oct. 21-23: **Association of the United States Army (AUSA) Annual Meeting**, Washington, DC. This year's theme: "Realizing the Army Vision." For more information go to <http://www.ausa.org/am2002.nsf/AMHome?OpenPage>
- Oct. 21-23: **Government IT Contracting Developing and Managing Templates & Measures for Government IT Projects**: Obtain the Critical Steps to Plan, Devise and Measure IT Contracts in Government, Washington, DC. Sponsored by National Institute for Government Innovation (NIGI). For more information, go to <http://www.nigi.org/event.cfm/event/H0201/page/index.html>

- Oct. 22-24: **The Federal Real Property Association Conference**. Registration and other informational materials on the conference can be accessed at the FRPA Professional Development Conference website, <http://www.policyworks.gov/frpapdc/index.cfm>
- Oct. 23: **Leveraging Open Standards to improve Supply Chain Information for Collaborative Commerce** introduces new standards for collaborative commerce based on federal/NATO cataloging system at the Electronic Commerce Code Management Association (ECCMA) conference, Union Station, Washington, DC. Three panels, fifteen speakers and an implementation workshop focused on using standardized content to improve supply management will be highlights of this event. For more information, go to <http://www.eccma.org/2002conf/index.html> or call ECCMA at 610-861-5990 or email Membership@Eccma.org
- Oct. 23-25: **Seminar: How to Ace Federal Contract Audits & the New CAS Workshop**, Washington, DC. Presented by the Government Contracting Institute. For more info go to <http://www.gcionline.net/conferences/audits/>
- Oct. 28-31: **The 2002 DoD Maintenance Symposium and Exhibition**, Reno, Nevada. This year's theme: "[Maintenance: Turning Logistics Resources into Readiness](#)." The program will include senior level speakers from Government and Industry, a wide range of panels and presentation tracks, over 125 exhibits, and the annual Secretary of Defense Maintenance Awards Ceremony. For more info, go to <http://www.sae.org/calendar/dod/index.htm>
- Oct. 28 – 31: **National Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)** , Burlington, VT. For more info go to <http://www.acq.osd.mil/sadbu/sbir/conferences/index.htm>
- Oct. 28: **Defense Partnering and Alliances Conference**, Alexandria, VA. Sponsored by National Contract Management Association (NCMA) and the International Quality and Productivity Center (IQPC). For more info contact Doug Sohn, 973-812-5152.
- Oct. 28-31: **Outreach Europe 2002**, Heidelberg, Germany. FSS's biannual overseas Expo featuring over 200 exhibits highlighting products and services, presented by GSA/FSS. For more info, contact Katie Meehan Ciolko at (703) 305-6590.

November:

- Nov. 7: **Strategic Learning Conference 2002**, Ft. Belvoir, VA. Hosted by Defense Acquisition University, For more information, go to www.dau.mil
- Nov. 10-13: **Managing Across Government: The Expanding Role Of The CIO**, Fort Myers, Florida. Presented by Government CIO Summit. For more info, contact Lucy Cooley, (703) 876-5081
- Nov. 13: **2002 Government Asset Management Seminar**, Washington, DC. Sponsored by The Performance Institute. For more info go to www.performanceweb.org or call 703-894-0481.
- Nov. 14-15: **NCMA 2002 East Coast Education Conference**, Tysons Corner, VA. Presented by the National Contract Management Association (NCMA). For

- more info, go to [NCMA 2002 East Coast National Conference](#) or call (703) 734-5435.
- Nov. 11-13: **12th Annual IAC Executive Leadership Conference**, Hershey, PA. Sponsored by Federation of Government Information Processing Councils (FGIPC). For more information go to <http://www.fgipc.org/>
 - Nov. 15: **Bringing Commercial Best Practices to Government: Strategic Sourcing**, Atlanta, GA.. A distinguished group of government and industry leaders will take you through the entire approach of tackling the challenges in government sourcing and update you on commercial best practices. Sponsored by Federation of Government Information Processing Councils (FGIPC). For more information go to http://www.fgipc.org/events/strategic_sourcing_seminars.htm
 - Nov. 17-18: **2002 Performance-Based Contracting Series**, Arlington, VA. Best Practices in Soliciting Proposals, Managing Contractors and Utilizing Incentives with Performance-Based Contracts in Government. Sponsored by The Performance Institute. For more info go to www.performanceweb.org or call 703-894-0481.
 - Nov. 17-18: **14th Annual Integrated Project Management Conference** Tysons Corner, VA. Theme: "EVM: Adding Value to PM." Presented by PMI College of Performance Management, the Society of Cost Estimating and Analysis and the National Defense Industrial Association. For more information go to <http://www.cpm-pmi.org/ipmc/index.htm>.
 - Nov. 20-22: **PEO/SYSCOM Conference**, Ft. Belvoir, VA. Go to www.dau.mil for more information.

December:

- Dec. 2-5: **Defense Management Conference**, Dallas, Texas. The material to be presented and discussed at DMC '02 will involve technical data that is governed by DoD Directive 5230.25, Withholding of Unclassified Technical Data from Public Disclosure. Only individuals or enterprises certified under DoD Directive 5230.25 are eligible to obtain access to unclassified technical data with military or space applications in the possession of or under the control of the DoD. A signed certification document (DD Form 2345) must accompany the attendee registration. For more info, go to <http://www.dmc.utcd Dayton.com/>
- Dec. 2-5: **The 23rd Army Science Conference**, Orlando, FL. Presented by the Assistant Secretary of the Army (Acquisition, Logistics and Technology). The conference theme is "Transformational Science & Technology for the Army...a race for speed and precision." The conference will feature presentations of papers and posters judged as best among those submitted by Army scientists and engineers. For more information, visit www.asc2002.com.
- Dec. 2-4: **ASTD Return on Investment Network Conference 2002**, College Park, MD. Presented by American Society for Training and Development (ASTD). Theme: "Measure & Evaluate Today, Influence & Improve Tomorrow." With presentation on the ROI of e-Learning. For more info, go to http://roi.astd.org/events/upcoming_events.aspx

- Dec. 2-4: **Defense Logistics 2002**, Arlington, VA. Main Conference Dec. 3-4; Technology Summit, Dec. 2. Sponsored by Defense Logistics Strategies For Superior Frontline Support. For more information, go to <http://www.wbresearch.com/defenselogistics2002/index.html> or email defense@wbresearch.com or call (212) 885-2752
- Dec. 3 – 5: **Connecting Technology Conference**, San Diego, CA. Jointly sponsored by the Department of the Navy Information Technology Umbrella Program and the Department of the Navy Chief Information Office. Connecting Technology connects our contracting and IT customers with current technology, contracting and technical information, as well as, DoD leaders who drive technology acquisition and implementation. DAWIA Members of the Defense Acquisition Workforce can earn required continuous learning points by attending Connecting Technology. For more info, go to <http://www.it-umbrella.navy.mil/ct/>
- Dec.10-12: **Space and Missile Defense Symposium**, El Paso, TX. Presented by Association of the U.S. Army (AUSA) and the U.S. Army Space and Missile Defense Command (SMDC). This year's theme: "Integrated Air and Missile Defense in a Transforming World." For more information, go to <http://www.smdc.army.mil/PubAff/UpcomingEvents.htm> or <http://www.ausa.org/meetings>
- Dec. 10-13: **7th Annual Entrepreneurial Government Conference**, West Palm Beach, FL. Presented by The International Institute of Business Technologies, Inc. Theme: "Improving Government's Performance in Delivering Program, Administrative and Business Services." For more info, go to <http://www.iibt.org/>
- Dec. 18: **Bringing Commercial Best Practices to Government: Strategic Sourcing**, Falls Church, VA. A distinguished group of government and industry leaders will take you through the entire approach of tackling the challenges in government sourcing and update you on commercial best practices. Sponsored by Federation of Government Information Processing Councils (FGIPC). For more information go to http://www.fgipc.org/events/strategic_sourcing_seminars.htm

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January

- Jan. 6-8: **Aviation Symposium and Exhibition**, Falls Church, VA. Presented by Association of the United States Army (AUSA) and US Army. For more info, go to <http://www.ausa.org/meetings>
- Jan. 27-30: **ASTD TechKnowledge 2003 Conference & Expo: Truth in E-Learning**, Orlando, FL. Presented by American Society for Training and Development (ASTD). For more info, go to <http://www1.astd.org/tk03/>
- Jan. 28-30: **Conference on the Acquisition of Software-Intensive Systems**, Arlington, VA. Co-sponsored AT&L Software-Intensive Systems Office and the SEI and presented at Software Engineering Institute Facility, this inaugural conference is an opportunity for government acquisition organization employees, their support agencies (i.e., support contractors, FFRDCs), and federal

government contractors to share experiences and insights about acquisition. This theme is improving the acquisition of software-intensive systems throughout government. For more info, go to

http://www.acq.osd.mil/docs/acquisition_call.pdf

February

- Feb. 20-21: **FOCUS-IR: Institutional Research in Federal Organizations, Colleges, Universities and Schools**, National Defense University, Ft. McNair, Washington D.C. Go to www.chancellor.osd.mil for updates

March

- Mar. 10-13: **National Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)**, Albuquerque, NM. For more info go to <http://www.acq.osd.mil/sadbu/sbir/conferences/index.htm>

April

- Apr. 22-24: **National Small Business Innovation Research (SBIR)**, Washington, DC. For more info go to <http://www.acq.osd.mil/sadbu/sbir/conferences/index.htm>
- Apr. 28 – May 1: **e-Learning Conference & Expo**, Washington, DC. For more info go to <http://www.learningandtrainingweek.com/learningandtrainingweek/V33/index.cvn>

May

- May 12-14: **SAE International Government/Industry Meeting**, Washington, DC. For more info go to <http://www.sae.org/calendar/gim/index.htm>
- May 19-21: **Management of Change Conference 2003**, New Orleans, LA. Presented by Federation of Government Information Processing Councils (FGIPC). For more info go to <http://www.fgipc.org/> or contact: Vivian Ronen at vronen@fgipc.org, 703-218-1955.

Past Events

September:

- Sept. 3 – 6: **Interagency Resources Management Conference (IRMCO) 2002: Driving Change-Delivering Results**, Hershey, PA. Presented by GSA. For more information, go to http://www.gsa.gov/Portal/content/event_content.jsp?contentOID=121663&contentType=1001&PMKP=1
- Sept. 4: **Acquisition Symposium**: “Army Transformation in an Advance Collaborative Environment,” Falls Church, VA. Presented by Association of the United States Army (AUSA). For more information go to <http://www.ausa.org/meetings>
- Sept. 12: **Knowledge Management and Enterprise Engineering**: Practical Approaches to Capturing and Leveraging Organizational Knowledge for Network-centric Organizations, George Washington University, Washington, DC.

Sponsored by George Washington University Knowledge Institute and Association for Enterprise Integration. For more info, go to <http://www.afei.org/brochure/2afl>

- Sept. 16-20: **Federal Government Contracting Seminar**, Arlington, VA. This course sets the standard for comprehensive, up-to-date education in the field of acquisition and contracting. Federal Government Contracting (501) incorporates the contractual, financial, legal, administrative, and management aspects of government contracts into a single, cohesive course of instruction. Presented by American Graduate University. For more information, go to <http://www.gcionline.net/course/501/>
- Sept. 17-18: **E-Gov Information Assurance Conference and Exhibition: Protecting Vital Information Resources**, Washington, DC. Presented by e-gov. For more information go to <http://www.e-gov.com/events/2002/ia/>
- Sept. 18-19: **Investing in the Digital Workforce**. Presented by e-gov. For more information go to <http://www.e-gov.com/events/2002/ia/>
- Sept. 23 –25: **Strategic Workforce Development Forum: Measure and Enhance your Techniques to Recruit, Retain, and Strengthen your Agency's Workforce**. Sponsored by National Institute for Government Innovation (NIGI). For more information, go to <http://www.nigi.org/conf.cfm>
- Sept. 23-26 : **Frontline Solutions 2002 Expo / Supply Chain Week**, Chicago, IL. Supply Chain Week will be the premier marketplace and educational forum for innovative hardware and software technologies for your entire supply chain. Defense eBusiness Program Office will be speaking. For more info, go to <http://www.frontlinexpo.com/frontlinexpo/v31/index.cvn>
- Sept. 23 – 26: **4th International Acquisition/Procurement Seminar – Pacific**, Ft. Belvoir, VA. Hosted by Defense Acquisition University at Ft. Belvoir, VA. Mr. Pete Aldridge, USD ATL, Keynote Speaker. For more info, go to http://www.dsmc.dsm.mil/international/international_pac.htm
- Sept. 24-27: **Program Manager Seminar**, Reston, VA. This course - presented publicly to over 30,000 industry and government professionals - is the most comprehensive and thoroughly documented 40-hour course in program/project management available from any government or private sector source. Program Management (525) provides the practical framework and management skill set needed to complete complex, multi-dimensional and dynamic programs - and exceed performance, cost, schedule and quality objectives. Presented by American Graduate University. For more information, go to <http://www.gcionline.net/course/525/>
- Sept. 28 – Oct 2: **56th National Defense Transportation Association (NDTA) Transportation and Logistics Forum and Exposition**, Greensboro, NC. For more info go to <http://www.ndtahq.com/forum.htm>.